

### In the Claims

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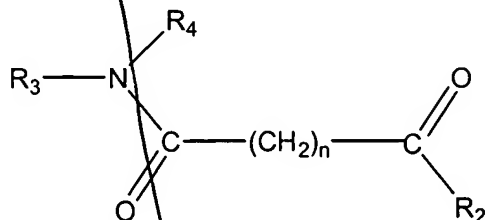
In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.173 the amendments are shown with bracketing and underlining relative to the claim of the issued patent in effect as of the date of filing of the Reissue Application.

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{R}_3-\text{N}-\text{C}(=\text{O})-(\text{CH}_2)_n-\text{C}(=\text{O})-\text{R}_2 \\ | \quad | \qquad \qquad \qquad | \quad | \\ \text{R}_4 \quad \text{O} \qquad \qquad \qquad \text{O} \end{array}$$

wherein each of  $R_3$  and  $R_4$  are independently the same as or different from each other and are a hydrogen atom, a hydroxyl group, a substituted or unsubstituted, branched or unbranched alkyl, alkenyl, cycloalkyl, aryl, alkyloxy, aryloxy, arylalkyloxy, or pyridine group, or  $R_3$  and  $R_4$  bond together to form a piperidine group;  $R_2$  is a hydroxylamino[, hydroxyl, amino, alkylamino, or alkyloxy] group; [and]  $n$  is an integer from [about 4]  $\frac{5}{1}$  to [about 8]  $\frac{7}{1}$ ; and  $R_3-N-R_4$  and  $R_2$  are different.

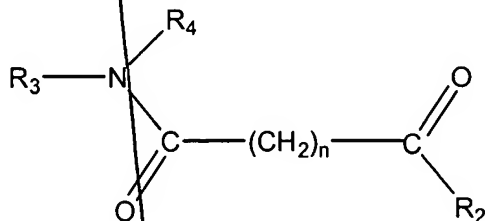
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B 2 30. A compound having the structure:



wherein R<sub>3</sub> is hydrogen and R<sub>4</sub> cycloalkyl, aryl, aryloxy, arylalkyloxy, or pyridine group, or R<sub>3</sub> and R<sub>4</sub> bond together to form a piperidine group; R<sub>2</sub> is a hydroxylamino group; and n is an integer from 5 to about 8.

31. A compound having the structure:



wherein R<sub>3</sub> and R<sub>4</sub> are independently a substituted or unsubstituted, branched or unbranched alkyl, alkenyl, cycloalkyl, aryl, alkyloxy, aryloxy, arylalkyloxy, or pyridine group, or R<sub>3</sub> and R<sub>4</sub> bond together to form a piperidine group; R<sub>2</sub> is a hydroxylamino group; and n is an integer from 5 to about 8.